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Previous References

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Serial Nos. one

Part B for July 1929.

SUBJECT

Recognition of the Anglo-Indian and Domiciled European Association of Mysore and Coorg

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To the Rev. Commr

No. L. 341 dy 18-7-29.

Requst the Rev. Commr to ask the D.C, Bangalore to take necessary action in the matter of the constitution of the village comprising the area assigned to the Anglo-Indian settlers of Whitefield after formal approval of the Association.

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From:-
Mr Edwin Gilbert, Whitefield
Dt 30-11-1928.
Prays that the A & D and D-E
Association of Thyne & Coorg
As may registered with its headquarte
at Whitefield in terms of G.O.No
R 4631-4/LR:451-27-32 Dt 18-5-24
may be recognised.

1) Kind reference is invited to
G.O. No 4631-4/LR:451-27-32
Dt the 18th March 1924 re the White
field Settlement. As the prayer
is only for the recognition of the
Association, this may perhaps be
referred to the Registrar of Joint
Stock Companies
CRR 2) Returned. for orders
21/12/28 - 3) The Registrar of
Dt 12.12.28 Joint Stock Companies
may be asked to
furnish this office a list
of the subscribers 4) Yes
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3)
Submitted with a draft for Approval
With reference to paras 3+4).
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24/1/29

6) Secure
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12.1.29

To
The Registrar of ~~Companies~~
Joint Stock companies

7183 Dy 12-1-29.

Forwards the letter from the Pender
and requests the views in the matter

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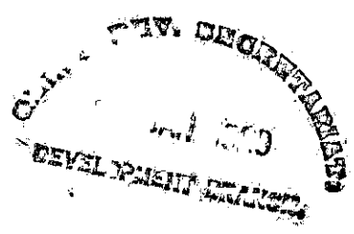

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From
The Registrar Of Joint Stock Companies
C 467/28-29 Of 25-1-1929.
States that it is necessary that the new Association Registered under the Mysore Companies Regulation Shall be recognised in place of the old one if the Right over the Village Site Shall continue to vest in the Association.

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1) ✕ Kind Reference is invited to para 4) of G.O. No R 4631-4. L.R. 451-17-32 Of the 18th March 1924, directing that the Anglo Indian Association Of Mysore And Coorg Continue to be in possession Of the Village Site at Whitefield, in Accordance With the Terms Of the original grant. According to the Registrar's letter, the Associatia which was Registered Under the ~~Coorg~~ Indian Companies Act With its Registered Office in the C & M. Station Bangalore, was Wound up in 1927 And a new Association Under the Same name Without the Word "Limited" was Registered Under the Mysore Companies Regulation. Consequent on the winding up of the old Association, it legally lost all its rights over the Village Site at Whitefield. It is not known whether the Site was Resumed by Govt on the dissolution of the Company. The two Associations are identical in name.

The President Of the new Association States that the forming of a new Association in place of the old one, was for easier working of the Association And Assures that Change Of headquarters and fresh Registration has ~~was~~ in no way affected the Composition and the Activities Of the Association. His Request Amounts to the Restoration Of the Right over the Village Site at Whitefield, to the new Association.

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8) The Registrar recommends the recognition of the newly formed Association, and submits the case for decision as to whether the right over the Village site may be restored to the New Association.

9) It is for orders whether the Protection Branch may be consulted in the matter.

Submitted for orders.

CPR 31/1. 10) The Legal Remembrancer may perhaps be consulted.

Sec 31/1

11) May be done.

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Sec 7.2.29

8/2 12) L.R. with compliments for favour of opinion

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13) After dissolution the Company ceased to exist & its right to the village site was practically relinquished. Since a new Co has been started, it may be recognised & the site granted to it in accordance with the terms of the original grant.

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21/2 With Compliments.

14) The Co. has been registered. The question is whether it shd be recognised as entitled to the same rights over the village site as had been granted

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CHIEF SECRETARY'S OFFICE R.4293.
REVENUE 26 FEB 1928 [App. F, III—2]

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to the old Area

15) This is a point the decision of which is in the Rev. Br.

To Rev. Br.)

Mr M.S.W. 26-2-28
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(16) Kind reference is invited to paras 4 and 5 of the G.O. dated 18th March 1924 explaining the object for which the village site in question was given to the Anglo Indian Assn. It is seen therefrom that Govt have no idea to interfere in the affairs of the settlement so long as the administration of the settlement is not allowed by the Assn to fall into confusion. Such being the case it would be better perhaps to call for a report as to the activities of the new Assn with refce to the settlers of the colony in particulars and the question of giving the right over the village site decided thereafter.

Submitted for orders.

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G.O. no. R. 4631-4
L.R. 451-17-3-28 18 3/24

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(17) As noted in para 14 above the new Company has been registered. What is now prayed for is its recognition in place of the old Association, and the vesting of the control of the 'village site' in the new body. If approved the R.C may be requested to report on these points & resubd.

hrs 20/2

(18) Noted 1/3

4 To the R.C No R 7194 d 2.3.29 Calls for a report

Sec A 4 y3

Memo from the Dewans Office No 7th dated 28.2.29 forwarding for disposal an extract of the letter d 13.2.29 by the President of the Assn re the village site of White field.

(19) A report from the R.C has been called for in the matter Resubd for perusal

by 11.3.29. 13/3

Ch Secy 14/3/29

CHIEF SECRETARY, 14 MAR 1929

Yr Sec A 21.3.29

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5	From the Dist Commr in Mysore No C 5264/28-29 Dated 6th June 1929. Reports that the village in question may be constituted into a village Panchayat under the V. P Regulation which the Association is agreeable Recommends that the 'village site' may vest in the ~~association~~ Panchayat. This may be sent to L. S. G Branch for taking action re the constitution of the 'settlement' into a village Panchayat under the V P - Regulation - Submitted for orders Krs 9-6-29. C Dey 9/6/29 yes. Early BN 15/6. L.S.G 16/6/29 under Sec 4(1) of the Mysore Village Panchayat Rgn, it is the Dy Commr that has to take necessary action in regard to the Constitution of Panchayats. Further the preliminary requisites under Proviso to said section have to be observed before a Panchayat is established. If approved the records will be returned to the Newcomer with the observations referred to above for Submitted for orders carefully 8/6 - the Dy. Commr Bangalore 21/6/29

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take the necessary action after formal approval by the association.

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N Leay Engr 27/6/29

The above suggested course of action may be approved

Sd/- 3-7-29

Secretariat.

Agree.

Sd/- 10/7 Engr

Sd/- 10.7.

Sd/- 10/7

A draft is put up for approval

Sd/- 11/7

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Issue. no L 341 dt 18.7.29. to Rev Commr in Mysore. Request him to ask the Govt Commr to take necessary action after formal approval by the Associations

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Development Dept
Chief Minister
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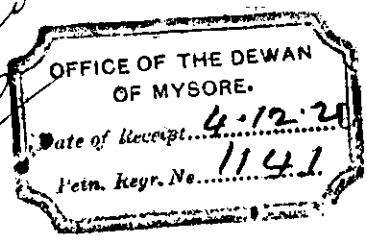
"The Gables" J.S. 18-28-1
P.W. Whitefield L.R. 565-28-1
30/11/28

To

The Private Secretary 3/12/28
to the Dewan of Mysore.



From

The President
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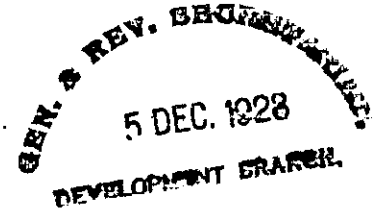
of Mysore & Coorg.—



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Sir,

I have the honour to request that you will kindly place the following before the Dewan, for favour of his consideration and confirmation.

It is a recognised and acknowledged fact that the village site of whitefield is in charge of the Anglo Indian Association of Mysore & Coorg.

The Association used to have its head quarters in Bangalore, but for easier working, by a general resolution, the headquarters were moved to whitefield.

Having moved the headquarters into Mysore State, the Association was registered under the Mysore Companies Regulation No: 8 of 1917.

The change of headquarters, and registration in Mysore State, has in no way affected the

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To The Registrar of Joint Stock Companies

Date of issue 12/11/28

Signed by Mr C.S. Namasivaya

Sir,

In forwarding herewith a Copy of letter dt the 30th November 1928 from the President, A.I.S.I.A. Association of Mysore & Coorg, to the Private Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore, in the matter of Recognition of the said above Association, I am directed to request you to be so good as to favour Govt with your views on the subject at an early date.

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Examined by.....

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× A Copy of G.O No 4631-4/L.R.45-27-32

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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

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J. S. 5-62-28-3

IN REPLY PLEASE REFER TO
NO. C.467/28-29.
ENCL.

Office of the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies in Mysore.

Dated, Bangalore 25th January 1929.

FROM

A. K. Syed Taj Peeran, Esq., B.A.,
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L. S. G. BRANCH

CHIEF SECRETARIAT
R. 4910.
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REVENUE BRANCH.

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Office of the Dewan of Mysore,

NOTE.

Dated 28th February 1929.

" ---- the subject of the A.I. Association and the village site of Whitefield to which a reply is still awaited."

The marginally noted extract from a letter dated 13th February 1929 addressed to the Dewan by the President of the A.I & D.E. Association of Whitefield is forwarded to the Chief Secretary to Government with compliments for favour of disposal.

DEWAN'S OFFICE
28 FEB. 1929
No. 714

By order,

Private Secretary to Dewan.

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Submitted :-

The question of the village site of Whitefield is not pending in the L.S.G. Branch. The question of water-tax to the Whitefield colony is pending reply from the Revenue.

The Revenue may perhaps be consulted.

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Appl 4793
5/3 - Submitted to U. Secy
Please put up the case file
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THE WHITEFIELD SETTLEMENT

In 1882 2500 acresof land near th Kadgodi (Whitefield)Railway Station were granted to the Eurasian and Anglo Indian Association Mysore Branch for the formation of Agricultural Settlements of Eurasians and Anglo-Indians. The Mysore and Coorg Association who were the successors in title to the said Eurasian and Anglo Indian Association were recognized as the registered occupants of the lands of the Settlements, and were permitted (in G.O. No.16052-3 dated 23rd March 1894) to relinquish the lands either absolutely or in favour of a specified individual settler or settlers of the Colony. The Association thereupon relinquished the kandayam lands in favour of individual settlers but retained possession of the unoccupied lands and the village site.

2. The Mysore and Coorg Association however continued to inferfere in the affairs of the Settlement. This inferference was naturally resented by most of the settlers who formed themselves into an Association called The Whitefield Settlers Association (incorporated under the Mysore Companies Regulation) for managing their own affairs. Govt. in their Order G.O. No.4461-2/L.R.314-13-10 dated 4th November 1915 declared that the Mysore and Coorg Association who had relinquished the occupancy of the lands could not be deemed to have reserved any right of control over

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them and also suggested that if in virtue of any private agreement entered into with the Settlers at the time of the transfer of the registry the Mysore and Coorg Association claimed any such right the same might be established in a Court of Law Before this order was issued the D.C.Bangalore Dist. who was asked to bring about an amicable settlement called a general meeting at Whitefield consiting of the members of the Settlers Association and those of the Mysore and Coorg Association. No compromise was arrived at nor did the M & C. Association refer to any private agreement entered into with the Settlers at the time of the transfer of the registry of the lands, in support of their claim to control the lands and settlement. The Committee of the M & C Association however passed the two following important resolutions:-

(1) " If Govt. hold that the M & C Association has lost legal control over the kandayam paying lands at Whitefield and other settlements vested in it by Govt., the Association is willing and prepared to relinquish to the said Govt the village site or free-hold on which they have control"

(2) " If Govt. hold that the Associatio have not lost such control over the lands beyond the village site the Association is prepared to allow the Anglo Indian Associatio occupiers to have control over the kandayam lands and free-hold provided the said occupiers agree not to alienate any of their property to non-members of the Association."

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3. The matters were further complicated by the opposition of the M & C Association to the residence of Indians xxx in Whitefield and other settlements. Rao Bahadur Krishna Swami Rao and Dr. Rangappa xxxxxxxx approached Govt with the request that the " position of Indians with regard to this sanitarium in an Indian State should be placed on a firm and a satisfactory basis."

4. In the G.O. dated 4-11-1915 referred to above, the Revenue Commissioner has been requested to submit a detailed proposals regarding the constitution of settlements into separate villages as represented by the settlers' Association; and he was on the representations of the Whitefield Settlers Association Rao Bahadur Krishna Swami Rao, and Dr. Rangappa, again directed to make a full and local inspection and enquiry and to offer his proposals and remarks on the orders of resumption etc., which Govt. proposed to pass in the matter. The R.C. recommended (in his letter dated 8/15-3-1919) the constitution of the settlement of xxx Whitefield Samand and Duckworth into separate villages and promised a separare report regarding the resumption of the village site, after inspection by the Deputy Commissioner. The R.C. was again asked to furnish his opinion unofficially xxxxx after a personal local inspection on the following points:-

1. Resumption of the village site.
2. Introduction of Survey & Settlement.
3. Prohibition against Indian Settlers.
4. Appointment of village officers.
5. Introduction of Panchayets under local Board Regulation.

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5. The R.C. in his ~~offic~~ unofficial note dated 15-5-1919 has exhaustively dealt with first point on ~~xk~~ all the points and regarding the ~~one~~ he recommended that the M & C Association ~~might~~ first be addressed to relinquish the and other unoccupied village site ~~under~~ lands in accordance with their own resolution of 1924 and if they were unwilling to do so, it would be well for Govt. if the site could be resumed on the ground that the terms of the origina grant had not been complied with.

6. The President of the M.& C Association was accordingly written to to relinquish th village site and "free-hold lands" as per th resolution of the Association itself. Afte 3 months the President avoiding direct repl to this letter wanted an assurance from Govt. " ~~that~~ that the fundamental idea of forming the settlement as an exclusive Anglo Indian Colony will be preserved". He was thereupon informed that no such assuran could be given and was requested to furnish an early reply to this office letter dated 4th June 1919. The Association finally sen a reply on 20-12-1920 flouting their own resolution, and stated that there ~~were~~ is no question of absolute relinquishment as medi. tated by Govt that the terms of the origina grant have been fullfiled, and that the Association fails to see how Govt could enforce the relinquishment." Thereupon the Govt. Advocate who was consulted unofficially in the matter opined that the main purpose of the grant having failed, the Govt. may we. resume the village site". (Page 51-52 of office not

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A draft C.O. was accordingly put up in terms of the unofficial opinion of the R.C. and the Govt. Advocate and was got scrutinized unofficially by the Revenue Commissioner again and issued on 28-6-1928. It is against this order that the H & C Association now complai and have sought for an interview.

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27. APR. 1929
No. 6971

SECRETARIAT
CHIEF R. 5822
24 APR. 1929
REVENUE BRANCH.

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE.

Bangalore 19th April 1929

GEN 4672
22 APR. 1929
L. S. G. BRANCH

Dear Sir,

I am desired to invite attention to this Office Memo No. 714 dated 28th Feb. 1929 on the marginally noted subject and to request you to be so good as to inform me ~~when a reply may be expected~~ at what stage the question now stands.

"-----the subject of the A.I.Association and the village site of Whitefield ---."

Yours sincerely,

R.Ranga Rao Esq., B.A.B.L.,
Chief Secretary to Government, Bangalore.

Submitted.
A report has been called for from the Dep. Commissioner in the matter. No last Reminder was issued on 15/4/29. This may be sent to the D.S.D. for information

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Section 4

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Serial No. 4

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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To

The Rev. Commr

Date of issue.....2/3/29

Signed by ..H. V. S Iyengar

P.W.D. 1155 1 & 2

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith an opinion in a report with copies of letter dated 30.11.28 from the Resident, A. J. & D.F. (Mysore & Coorg) PWD C.467/28 dated 25-1-29 from the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies in Mysore in the matter of the recognition by Govt of the said Association & the restriction in the number of the village sites of the Whitefield Settlement, with reference to para 4 of G.O. No R 4631-4/29-457-17-32 dated 18.2.1929.

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L.R. S 65-28-5

No. C. 5264/28-29

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,

Dated, Bangalore, 5th June 192 9

FROM

P. G. D'SOUZA, ESQ., B.A., B.L.,
Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

SIR,

With reference to your letter No.R.7194/L.R. 365-28-4 dated 12nd March 1929, calling for my opinion on the representation from the resident of the new Anglo-Indian and Domiciled European Association of Mysore and Coorg, that the Association may be recognised by Government and the control of the village site of Whitefield Settlement vested in it, I have the honour to state that the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District was requested by me in this Office Memo No.C. 3642/28-29 dated 4th April 1929, to report what action, if any, has been taken in pursuance of the directions contained in para 5 of the Government Order No.R. 4951-4/L.R. 451-17-32 dated 18th March 1924 suggesting the adoption of certain measures for the better administration of the settlement. The Deputy Commissioner has reported in his letter No.R.E.D. 5891/28-29 dated 10th April 1929 (copy enclosed with its enclosures in original) that the President of the Association and Settlers of the Whitefield Colony generally agree to the constitution of the village into a Panchayet under the Village Panchayet Regulation and that the President has not yet sent a formal resolution of the Association on the question of establishing the Panchayet although he had promised to do so, and that as, however the President of the Association had himself informed him that the committee of the Association had passed a resolution that they desire to be constituted into Panchayet he has instructed the Sub Division Officer to take immediate further action in the matter.

P.T.O.

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Under the circumstances I am of opinion that the new Association may be recognised in place of the old one; as regards the village site, it may vest in the purchaser proposed to be formed.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

W. T. Green

Assistant Commissioner
for Revenue Commissioner,
Absent from station.

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the formalities required under
proviso to the said section. I am
therefore to request you to ask me
Governor to take necessary action
after formal approval by the Association.
The papers received with your letter
are herewith returned

Yours etc

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for General Secy to Govt

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Section V8

File No. 20-29

Serial No. 1

Diary No. of letter replied to..... 24677

No. 341
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General and Revenue Secretariat

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To

The Revenue Commr
in Mysore

Date of issue..... 18.7.1929

Signed by ..... Mr E. B. S. Iyer

Sir:

With reference to your letter no. C 5264/28-29 dated 7.6.29 regarding the constitution of the village, comprising the ~~whitefield colony area inclu~~ area assigned to the Anglo-Indian settlers of Whitefield, I am directed to observe that under Sec 4 (1) of the V.S. Regn the Deputy Commr has to take action in regard to the constitution of panchayats, after observing

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